

# Hope Star



THE WEATHER

Partly cloudy with occasional thundershowers tonight, cool Tuesday, local showers and cooler.

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## Rural Carriers Not Forced To Pay State Auto Tax

Supreme Court Upholds  
Pulaski Chancery De-  
cision In Suit.  
EMPLOYED BY U. S.  
As Government Employ-  
ees Have Certain Rights  
Under Law.

LITTLE ROCK, July 8.—(AP)—The supreme court recessed today for the summer, to convene again the third Monday in September for the fall term.

Voters in any county may initiate and adopt any act not in conflict with the general laws or the constitution the court held in reversing the decision of the White county chancery voiding an act adopted at the 1928 election.

T. C. Plant and others had brought suit attacking the validity of the law, setting out that it violated Amendment No. 9 of the constitution. The White county chancery granted an injunction preventing the prosecuting attorney from enforcing the law which was adopted by a large majority. The court reversed that decision and said the stock law was in full force and effect from and after its passage.

The court also held that rural mail carriers are agents of the United States government and as such are not liable to pay a fee to the state highway commission for "the operation of vehicles transporting freight and passengers for hire."

The suit was filed by Dwight H. Blackwood, chairman of the commission, against J. W. Welch, rural mail carrier, and the appellate that was an employee of the federal government that he had taken the oath to protect and defend the constitution as required by law the commission could not collect a fee for his operating his car on the rural route.

The sentence from Pike circuit on Lee McClelland of five years imprisonment for second degree murder in the death of Austin Cox was reversed. The court held that the lower court erred in excluding testimony seeking to impeach the dying declaration of Cox which had been introduced in evidence; that as the declaration was evidence its impeachment should have been allowed. The case was remanded for a new trial.

"Unconscious" Bacon  
Discusses Cotton Bolls

Manday morning Star's good friend, Alex May, from down to Bodetw, sends in the first full-grown cotton boll of the season with the remark that if the boll weevils will stay out of the field he'll have many just like the one sent in a few days. The boll is fully formed, exceptionally large and before many days would have opened up.

Neal Bacon came along a few minutes after the boll had been brought in, saw it perched on the city desk and immediately wanted to know "where that big pecan came from? Biggest I ever saw?" Then Mr. Bacon, Neal's dad, patiently took charge of the young man and promised him he'd know more about cotton when the coming picking season is over than he does now.

**State Engineer  
Has Unique Record**

Engineer on 50-Mile Road  
Has Made 167,000 Miles  
In 47 Years.

CLARENCE, Ark., July 8.—"Uncle Bud" Smith of Clarence has issued a challenge to every rail road man in America to equal his 7 years of service with one 50-mile road.

While in the mood for statistics "Uncle Bud" recently figured he had run his engine more than 167,000 miles over the 50-mile line from Helena to Clarence.

He began his employ with the road as a fireman at the age of 21 and three years later was made engineer. He has worked a total of 17,250 days for the road. He estimates he has used enough steam in blowing the whistle to carry the train once around the world.

The road was known as the Arkansas Central when he began working for it. Later it was changed to the Arkansas Midland, and is now a part of the Missouri Pacific system.

## When Oxford Honored Dawes



He wouldn't wear knee breeches for the king, but Ambassador Charles G. Dawes stowed away his upside-down pipe and donned beribboned cap and sombre gown to receive his honorary degree from Oxford University. Here you see him, center, with the Spanish Ambassador to England, right, on their way to the ceremony where they were made Doctors of Civil Law and General Dawes was lauded as a "champion of world peace." Following them are Lord Chelmsford and the Prime Minister of Egypt, Mohamed Mahmoud Pasha, who also received degrees.

## New Camden Daily Quits Suddenly

Starts July 4 and Sus-  
pends Publication After  
Three Issues.

CAMDEN, July 8.—(AP)—The Parker Printing Co., who on July 4 started the publication of a morning daily, announced today they had discontinued publication of the daily but will continue publication of the weekly.

C. E. Hill, managing editor of the Evening News, Camden's daily owned by C. E. Palmer and associates, announces that the morning edition of the News, the Gazette will be continued.

Mrs. Berry Acker and daughter, Mrs. Baker, escorted by little Miss Kathrin Ann, came in Saturday afternoon for a visit with old friends in this city.

## Birmingham Bank Situation Worse

Another Institution Fails  
To Open Doors This  
Morning.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., July 8.—(AP)—The banking situation in the Birmingham district was under a three-way investigation today with federal, state and county offices taking a hand, as the fifth banking institution in the past two weeks failed to open its doors.

The Leeds state bank did not open this morning and its affairs are in the hands of the state banking board, following a HEAVY RUN Saturday. It was capitalized for \$25,000 and had a \$25,000 sur-

plus.

Judge C. E. Thomas, state superintendent of banks, arrived yesterday to supervise an investigation into the reasons which have caused the failures here.

## Record Seeking Plane Still Up

Escapes Disaster By Nar-  
row Margin for Second  
Time.

CULVER CITY, July 8.—(AP)—Escaping disaster by the narrowest of margins for the second time in their attempt to set a new endurance flight record, pilots Wendell and Reinhart today piloted their single-motored biplane into the seventh day of their flight. At 7:29 this morning they passed their 145th hour aloft, determined to exceed the record of 174:059, established last week at Cleveland.

The airmen this morning dropped an emergency note, saying they had only fuel for 35 minutes flying and a hurried refueling contact was made at seven o'clock. The same difficulty had arisen shortly after the flight was started.

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## 'Pathfinder' Off On Flight Over Ocean To Rome

Third Attempt Results In  
Big Monoplane Getting  
Away for Trip.

## GOT ALOFT SLOWLY

Gained Altitude of 500  
Feet and Headed East  
for End of Trail.

OID ORCHARD, Me., July 8.—(AP)—Successful in their third attempt to take off from the beach, Roger Q. Williams and Lewis Yancey are presumably winging their way over the Atlantic to Rome in their monoplane, the "Pathfinder," today.

It was possible, observers say, that the flight might be in the nature of a test as Yancey told his mechanic before taking off that if the craft developed a considerable consumption of gasoline within a few hours—more than had been figured on—the ship would be brought back.

The pilots made two attempts to get off in the Green Flash, damaging and finally wrecking the plane, but they took off this morning at 7:42 in a fog which made visibility poor. Williams, veteran pilot, however, took the ship off the sand after a run of over a mile, missing a steel amusement pier at an altitude of 100 feet and swinging east after he had circled to gain greater altitude.

The course adopted would take the fliers over Cape Sable, N. C. The first report of the plane came from Lt. Melke, of the coast guard flying an amphibian plane which accompanied the Pathfinder for 75 miles out, when the officer messaged headquarters the fliers were "making good time."

The flight not only is an aerial scout but Yancey, veteran navigator and master mariner, will record weather conditions for a report to the bureau in New York.

The distance the ship must travel is estimated at 4,700 miles and flying time is hoped to be held to 45 to 50 hours. Favorable winds will aid the progress of the plane through fog is predicted to bother them some 16,000 miles out.

## Demonstration Work At Negro Summer School

C. HARAWAY, working jointly with the United States Department of the University of Arkansas, will conduct a series of home demonstrations at the Shover street negro summer school tomorrow, Tuesday, both during the day and in the evening.

The lecturer works under direction of the agricultural and home economics department of the University and his services obtained for the negro summer school program through the efforts of Henry Vergeron, superintendent of negro schools here, and Prof. Campbell, a member of the faculty.

The program here is part of a state-wide series conducted by the University.

## Kidnappers Kill Victim of Plot

MURDER BOY WHEN MONEY  
FOR RELEASE IS NOT COM-  
ING FROM PARENTS.

SAUGUS, Mass., July 8.—(AP)—Hysterically shrieking "Patsy carried out his threat!" Mrs. Santi DeMoore, of the north end district in Boston, identified the body of a boy found in the marshes yesterday as her 10-year-old son, Salvatore. The boy had been missing 19 days.

Police said that "Patsy" was the leader of a "black hand" band in Boston which, in a letter, had demanded \$5,000 from the father of the boy on a threat of injury to the family. The threat was the outgrowth of a feud and was the first ransom demand received, though two others were received after the boy disappeared.

"It's me," he told her, "absolutely in the flesh and a menace to the ladies, hot dog, hang out the wet come mat kill, kill the fatted calf here I am and feeling good." He also gave three cheers for Al Smith.

In a moving and touching oration, he espoused the candidacy of Joe Robinson for vice president. He registered disapproval for the debt-burden plan of farm relief and said things about the DePriests and Bishop Cannon.

"Hoch der Kaiser," he shouted, "on to Berlin. Wilson will bring us peace."

"Hadn't you better go," the young woman suggested timidly. He laughed loudly and declared to several neighbors who had strayed over that the last thing he was thinking about was going.

"The last thing," he repeated, "I am thinking of is going." He was influenced in this decision, he added, by the healthful climate, the balmy breezes and the purple glow everything had taken on these

## Melon Maids Photos To Appear Before Queen Selection Is Made

Five candidates for honor of being chosen Maid of Hope's annual Melon Festival have sent photos to this office for use, and Star urges others in the race to do the same thing promptly, as it is planned to use the pictures prior to the date of selection of the Queen of the Festival.

One photo of a charming young contestant sent in could not be used because it was photo-stamped

picture and could not be used for a newspaper engraving.

As fast as received the pictures are sent to the engravers and will be used so soon as returned. Star wants the picture of every girl in the race. Every care will be taken to preserve the photographs and return them but we want them as soon as possible.

Please send yours in now.

## Bus Service Now Hope-Nashville

Motor Coach On Run Has  
Been Discontinued for  
Bus Line.

Motor coach service between Hope and Nashville, Arkansas, was inaugurated Sunday, July 7, by the Missouri Pacific Transportation Company. Coaches will leave Hope 7:15 a. m. and 8:45 p. m., arriving Nashville 8:35 a. m. and 9:55 p. m. respectively. Two daily trips from Nashville will leave 4:00 a. m. and 6:10 p. m. arriving Hope 5:10 a. m. and 7:20 p. m., respectively. The new highway service will replace the motor trains now operating between Nashville and Hope, and motor train now operating between Hope and Gurdon.

Coach leaving Nashville at 4:00 a. m. will connect with Missouri Pacific Lines trains arriving Hope at 5:15 a. m., 6:10 a. m. and 6:45 a. m. Coach leaving Nashville at 6:10 p. m. will connect with trains arriving at Hope 7:25 p. m. and 8:42 p. m. The morning coach from Hope will meet trains Nos. 1, 21, and 4, and evening coach will connect with Nos. 37 and 26 at Nashville.

A new 21 passenger General Motors coach, equipped with inside baggage racks and the newest type of air springs, will be assigned to cover this route. The air springs completely eliminate the shocks of the road and permit the coach to travel as evenly as if it were on smooth steel rails.

MISS MARIA STRoud has returned from a week-end visit in Texarkana where she was the house guest of Miss Ruth Pate.

## BAUXITE BANK ROBBED TODAY

LITTLE ROCK, July 8.—(A. P.)—Two men held up a woman assistant cashier at the Bank of Bauxite, Bauxite, Arkansas, 25 miles south of here early this afternoon and escaped with approximately \$4,500 in cash. The robbers were said to have been driving an automobile bearing a Little Rock city license.

The annual premium list for the Southwest Arkansas Fair reveals the fact that county and community exhibits are being featured this year. The fair management is endeavoring to build up a real district fair truly representative of this entire section of the state.

All counties comprising this district are invited to participate in the fair program and are urged to enter exhibits in the various departments.

Unusually attractive cash premiums are offered on county and community exhibits in order to encourage exhibits of this kind from every county in Southwest Arkansas. A cash premium of \$100.00 is being offered for the best county exhibit and \$50.00 is being offered for the best community exhibit.

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The fair management is planning better facilities for handling the exhibits in the various departments and all indications now point to the best line of exhibits in the history of the fair. A keen interest is already being developed in the community exhibits and reports from various sections of the country indicate that twelve to fifteen communities will enter exhibits this year. A number of new county exhibits are also expected.

The annual fair catalog is now being distributed and those who have not received a copy may do so by calling or writing Secretary W. Homer Pigg.

WASHINGTON, July 8.—American tourists who are air-minded may have some difficulty in getting off at the proper stop if they travel by airplane in Hungary.

Hungary now has eight airports, seven of which belong to the government, of which some of the names are as follows:

Szombathely, Szeged, Miskolc, Nyiregyhaza, and Mthyasfold.

He did go home then.

## Visitors To See County Homes

### Opposes Heflin



John H. Bankhead, above; millionaire coal mine owner of Jasper, Ala., is out to beat Senator Tom Heflin of that state who is a candidate for re-election. Bankhead was a candidate several years ago when the late Senator Oscar W. Underwood retired from office, but was defeated by Senator Hugo L. Black.

## Farm Editors To Arrive Tonight; On Tour Tuesday

100 Persons Expected To  
Make County Excursion  
Tomorrow.

### SEE MODEL FARMS

Dairy Development and  
Feed Campaign To Be  
Inspected.

Editors of Southern farm papers on a swing through Southwest Arkansas will join about 100 farmers and city men at the Hope city hall at 8:30 o'clock tomorrow morning for the second annual tour of Hempstead county.

The principal speaker on the tour will be Congressman Tilman B. Parks, who will join the excursion at the city hall, and will speak at the noon stop in Washington.

The visiting editors, and agricultural experts from the University of Arkansas, including Kenneth B. Roy, agricultural editor of the University, and O. L. McMurray, district agent, are expected to arrive in Hope tonight. They will participate in the Hempstead county tour, and then spend a day each in Nevada and Clark counties.

Schedule of the Hempstead county tour which was completed and published Saturday by County Agent Lynn Smith, provides for departure from Hope city hall at 8:30 a. m., a tour of farms in the northern part of the county, noon basket luncheon at Washington, and an inspection of farms along the Washington-Columbus and Columbus-Hope roads, returning to Hope shortly after 6 p. m.

The tour has the support of all Hope business men who have cooperated in the dairy program in behalf of Kraft cheese factory, and it is expected that all the key farmers demonstrating the dairy feed program in the various townships will make the tour tomorrow.

## C. M. T. C. Camp Gets Under Way Today

Youths Assemble At Jeff-  
erson Barracks for  
Training Period.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., July 8.—(AP)—More than 1500 youths from Arkansas, Missouri and southern Illinois were gathered today at Jefferson Barracks for a month's military training and supervised athletics as the

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**The Star's Platform***City*

Apply the revenues of the municipal power plant to develop the industrial and social resources of Hope.

More city pavement in 1929, and improved sanitary conditions in the alleys and business back-yards.

Support the Chamber of Commerce.

*County*

A county highway program providing for the construction of a minimum amount of all-weather road each year, to gradually reduce the dirt road mileage.

Political and economic support for every scientific agricultural program which offers practical benefits to Hempstead county's greatest industry.

Encourage farmer organizations, believing that co-operative effort is as practical in the country as it is in town.

*State*

Continued progress on the state highway program.

Fearless tax reform, and more efficient government through the budget system of expenditures.

Free Arkansas from the cattle tick.

**Our Own Farm Tour**

EARLY next month the farmers of Arkansas will journey to Fayetteville for their annual convention on improved agricultural methods. Every other line of business has its conventions and conferences—why not agriculture?

In this respect Hempstead county has farm tour all its own. The tour which leaves Hope city hall Tuesday morning for an all-day swing through the northern and western township, is truly an agricultural man's event. The city is contributing visitors and cars, but the real purpose of the tour is to provide for the inspection of a few well developed farms by all the other farmers of the county.

The Star along with the educational and business leaders of the county, hopes that the tour will draw 100 per cent support. The value of trade meetings and exchange of ideas is clearly recognized in every industry—and in Hempstead county agriculture is by far the dominant industry.

There is no more reason for continued agricultural depression than for bankruptcy in any other industry. Agriculture has some difficult problems in production, but industry has been faced with these too. Agriculture suffers for lack of government aid, perhaps, but neither was industry as a whole favored by tariff protection until after the Civil war. Industry solved its production problems by intelligent study and hard work; and it won its political victories by persistent co-operation between the various industrial units.

This agriculture never has been able to do. Yet there is reason for believing that in the year 1929 American agriculture is closer to permanent prosperity than at any time since the post-war deflation. More money is being spent for agricultural education than ever before; the government has finally committed itself to a limited program of farm relief; and—which is most important—the farmer himself is beginning to believe that there is merit in open discussion of agricultural problems and free exchange of farm experiences.

To that movement the Hempstead county farm tour tomorrow contributes its bit.

**Pershing's Parsing**

ABILITY to parse a sentence better than a fellow contestant for an appointment to West Point gave to the United States its greatest living soldier, General John J. Pershing, according to a story recently published.

Back in 1881, when three Missouri boys appeared before an examining board which was to select an appointee to fill a vacancy at the United States Military Academy, Pershing was one of the three. He and another boy named Mallory were so evenly matched that the board was hard put to decide between them.

As a final test the board proposed for parsing the sentence: "We are as near heaven by sea as by land." Pershing did a perfect job of parsing, while Mallory fell down, so Pershing got the appointment, was graduated from West Point, rose to high military rank and eventually became commander of the A. E. F.

His rival, J. D. Mallory, has had a modest but useful career, and is still living as a rural school teacher near Purdin, Mo., having taught all these years. Possibly he could beat Pershing in parsing that same sentence today.

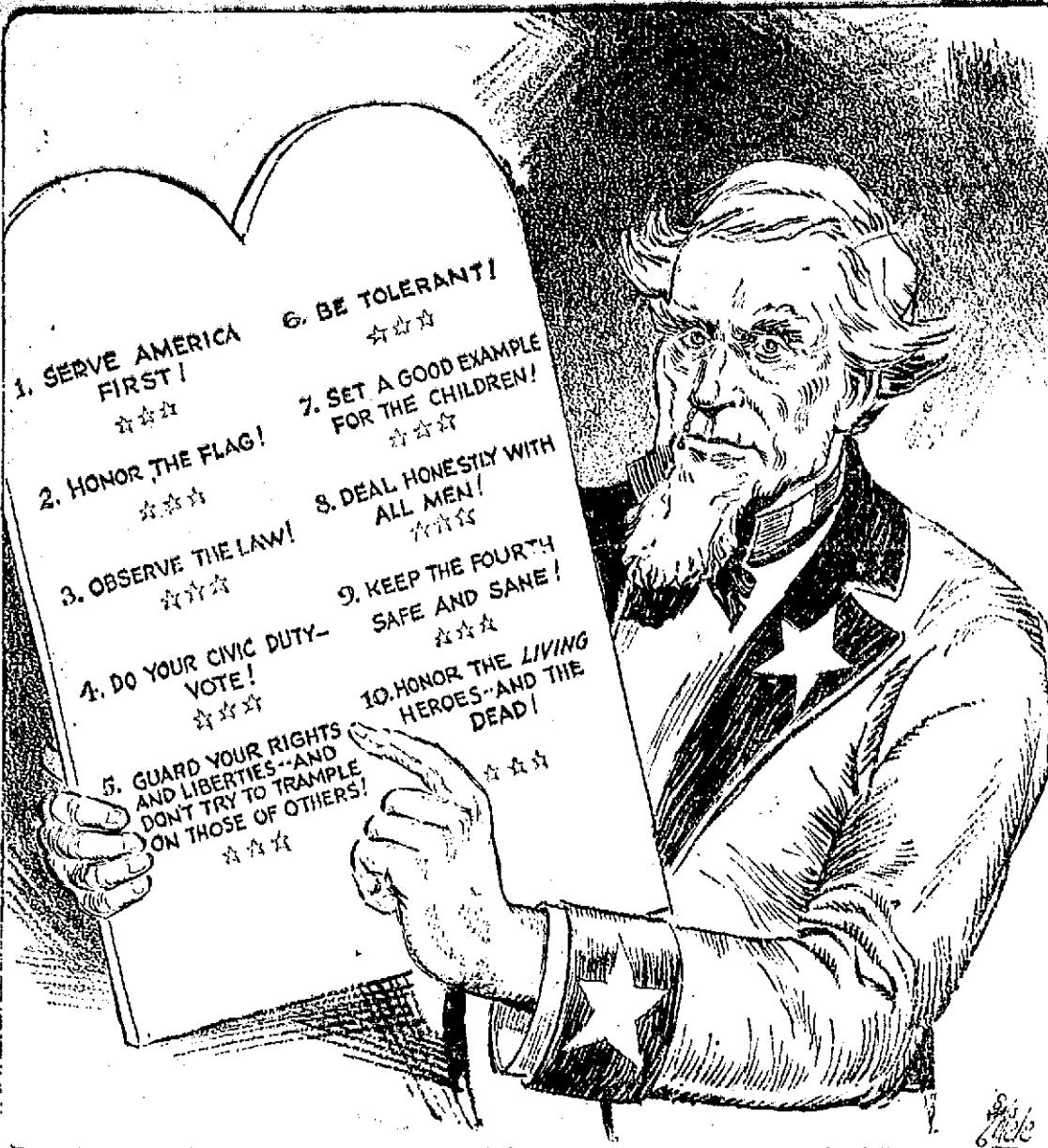
**Air Flivver Coming**

WITHIN five years a business man living in a distant suburb may board his one-passenger air flivver, fly to the city and alight on his office roof. Returning at night he may land in his own back yard with ease and safety. Such is the prediction of conservative pilots and engineers.

This may happen in less than five years if plans for the commercial manufacture of a new machine called the autogyro are carried out. Invented by Juan de la Cierva, a Spaniard, the autogyro is fitted with an ordinary airplane motor and propeller, but in addition has revolving wings in a sort of windmill arrangement which enables it to sustain itself in the air at slow speed, thus permitting it to rise or land in the space of an ordinary tennis court.

The revolving wings are said to give the machine stability in flight, besides making a crash to earth almost impossible, even though the pilot should entirely lose control. It is declared that it "flies like an airplane but settles to earth like a parachute."

An American company is now perfecting a design for immediate commercial production. If the claims of its promoters are made good, the autogyro may soon revolutionize short distance passenger traffic.

**Ten Commandments of Americanism!****WASHINGTON LETTER**

By Rodney Dutcher

WASHINGTON — Prohibition killings have been causing considerable excitement at various points and even President Hoover has taken official cognizance of them, but the situation as regards local enforcement in the seat of national enforcement has gone back to normal.

Bootleggers of the national capital were charging \$10 for a gallon of alcohol up to the time the Jones law, with its heavy penalties, went into effect. The Jones law sent liquor prices shooting up and alcohol soared to \$16 a gallon. But the price has now dropped back to \$10 a gallon. The bootleggers are rather apologetic about the recent scare.

It appears to be a common practice here to convert alcohol into gin, and a gallon of alcohol is made to from eight to 12 quarts of gin.

Those who prefer diplomatic liquor—and get a chance at it—are heartened by British Ambassador Sir Esme Howard's action in serving wives and liquors at his dinner to Mrs. Gann and Vice President Curtis. Angered at official restrictions and considerable publicity concerning his use of the liquor privilege, Sir Esme said he wasn't going to import any more, and it was thought that he might dry up the official embassy functions. But another load for the embassy is now on the way and by the time that is gone there will be a new British ambassador here. No one knows yet, of course, who the new ambassador will be or what his ideas are concerning the use of diplomatic liquor. It is not at all

impossible that his government, as a matter of policy, may suggest that he follow the lines laid out by Sir Esme.

One of these days Washington will doubtless meet Dr. Ernesto Arguepa, the new minister from Honduras. Dr. Arguepa was appointed months ago, but he has not yet presented his credentials, and Washington is curious to see him because in that fact is tied up a remarkable little story of parental love.

The union of Dr. and Mme. Arguepa went for 20 long years unbroken by offspring. Then to the complete surprise of everyone in Honduras, came a son. Naturally, the infant was fondly cherished by its father and mother. They had beaten by two years the record established in this country by Speaker and Mrs. Nicholas Longworth.

When Dr. Arguepa was appointed and took the steamer he left the mother and little boy temporarily behind. But hardly had he arrived in New York before word came that his son was quite ill. Without bothering to take the overnight ride to Washington, Dr. Arguepa took the steamer straight back to Honduras, a two-week trip.

The legation here is without advice as to the son's condition or the date of the minister's coming.

Archduke Leopold of Austria plans to open up an "idea" shop in New York. Wonder if it will have a notion counter, too?

Has anybody recommended for the Carnegie medal to Washington woman who recently made the courageous innovation of serving a party without liquor?

A small town is one where you know there must be somebody in jail when the constable has his house painted.

Sometimes it takes a lot of hush money to run a still.

**News of Other Days**

(From the files of The Star)

25 YEARS AGO

John Barr, Jr., has been at Saint Louis' this week looking at the World's Fair.

J. S. Wilson of Columbus, was in town yesterday. He says the prospects for cotton in his immediate vicinity is good enough, but that three miles north of there they have had too much rain for the crops.

There was a happy man on our streets Monday. One of the convicts working on the railroad finished his sentence and was released to return to his home.

The first thing he did was to get out of the "stripes" and dress himself in ordinary citizen's clothes. When this was done he appeared happy enough to fly, and left on the first train for home.

Rev. Jas. A. Green, of Arkadelphia

preached at the Presbyterian church last Sunday morning and night.

Senator T. C. Jobe, who attended the National Democratic Convention and incidentally took a look at the World's Fair, says both were sights too big for a man to see without help.

Ed. McCorkle is king of the cabbage patch. He brought a lot last Saturday, the least of which weighed 15 pounds.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Archie Moore, Tuesday, July 12th, a daughter.

We are pleased to note that Messrs. John S. Hunt and Otis E. Dodge, who are in the lumber business at Dodge, La., and at Cacoma, I. T., have moved their families to this city. Josh Wiggins has been hauling fine melons to town all week.

10 YEARS AGO

The young men of the dancing set of the city gave a delightful dinner and on Wednesday evening, honoring three visiting girls. Those present were: Miss Montgomery and Mr. Freeman; Miss Anderson and Miss Max Cox of Fulton; Miss Adicks and Pat Duffie; Miss Mary Kim Carrigan and T. S. McDavid; Miss Ethel Arnold and Carl Pipkin; Miss Mae Bryant and Bill O'Brien; Miss Valencia Dean Hanegan and Kenneth MacRae; Miss Chester Andrews and Dr. Luther Lile; Miss Frances Reed and Finley Ward; Miss Helen Williams and Clark White; Miss Evelyn Jagersfield and Edward McFaddin; Jr. and Mrs. Hoss Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Jewell.

One of the prettiest parties of the summer was given on Thursday afternoon by Misses Mae Bryant and Helen Williams, at the home of the former. The affair was planned in honor of the attractive guests of Miss Mary Kim Carrigan.

Miss Mary White entertained the members of the "Every Wednesday" at her home on West Louisiana Street, for the pleasure of Miss Louise Montgomery.

Miss Mary Boyett entertained in honor of visiting guests with a picture party Wednesday at the New Grand Theatre.

MARRIED: Miss Verna Breen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Breed, and Leonard Coffey; on Tuesday evening at the parsonage of the Christian Church, the Rev. T. F. Hall officiating.

Mr. Maurice Williams, who recently received his discharge from the army, as Major, at Maniu, Phillipine Islands, was a guest this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Brough.

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In the Field with the County Agents

Schedule For Week July 8th To 13th

Monday, July 8th, Saratoga 4-H club meeting.

Tuesday, July 9th, Farm Tour of Hempstead county.

Wednesday, July 10, Sweet

Charter No. 125333

Reserve District No. 8

**REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF****The First National Bank**

OF HOPE, IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON JUNE 29, 1929.

**RESOURCES**

Loans and discounts	\$39,066.52
United States Government securities owned	119,075.00
Other bonds, stocks, and securities owned	64,327.98
Banking house, \$49,000.00. Furniture and fixtures, \$15,823.03	64,823.93
Total	14,620.26
Real estate owned other than banking house	30,505.00
Reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	29,870.85
Cash and due from banks	409.55
Outside checks and other cash items	827,674.09
TOTAL	\$388,189.11

Report of the Condition of First Savings Bank & Trust Company

84 Hope, Hempstead County, Arkansas

At the close of business June 29, 1929.

**RESOURCES**

Loans and discounts	\$19,236.42
United States Government securities owned	173,598.77
U. S. Securities	10,000.00
Other Bonds and Securities, including State Warrants, and City Scrip	23,040.00
Other Real Estate	20,292.83
Cash and Due from Approved Reserve Banks	112,021.89

TOTAL \$388,189.11

LIAABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	\$100,000.00
Surplus	10,000.00
Undivided Profits—not	207.40
Due to Banks, including certified and cashiers' checks outstanding	201,743.59
Demand deposits	305,040.51
Time deposits	106,082.59
TOTAL	\$723,674.09

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	\$100,000.00





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# SOCIETY

Mrs. Sid Henry

Telephone 321

The tread of happiness is spun from three things into one. The first winds ever thru and thru In homely strength—something to do.

The second gleams like stars above A radiant thread—something to love.

The third entwines them both in power— Something to hope for, hour by hour.

Thus happiness in each sure part Lies within reach of every heart.

—Selected.

Mrs. Dan Hickman is spending the week visiting with friends in Texarkana.

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Miss Madge Oden, of Memphis, Tenn., is the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Russell.

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Misses Nelle Breazel and Daisy Brummett, of El Dorado, are house guests of Miss Whitfield Cannon.

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Mrs. W. C. Shelton and son have returned from a visit with relatives in Nashville.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Austin and daughter, Mildred, of San Antonio, Texas, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Davis.

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Miss Audra Waltrip, who has spent the past week visiting with friends in the city, has returned to her home in Arkadelphia.

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Mrs. Carl Voss, of Little Rock, and Mrs. A. G. Worley, of Amity, have returned to their homes after a visit with relatives in our city.

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Clell Dildy, of Monticello, spent the week-end visiting with Mrs. Dildy and little daughter Margery Lee at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. King.

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Miss Josephine Parks, who has been the guest of Miss Frances White for the past three weeks left today for her home in Camden.

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Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Henry who have spent the past month motor-ing thru California and other points of interest in the West arrived home Saturday afternoon.

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Mrs. Terrell Cornelius will entertain the members of the Althean Sunday School class of the

## NEW GRAND THEATRE

Monday and Tuesday

### "Masked Emotions"

with

George O'Brien

Nora Lane

J. Farrell McDonald

—Also—

Pathé News and

Comedy

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### MRS. J. FORD JOHNSON

Mrs. J. Ford Johnson, fifty-five, one among the most prominent and highly respected women in Hempstead county, member of a prominent pioneer family, died at her home at Columbus Sunday morning. Funeral services were held in the Presbyterian church there this morning, conducted by Rev. Williams, of Washington, and Dr. Anderson, of Hope.

Deceased is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Jim Wilson, of Columbus, and two brothers, E. G. Johnson, of Columbus and J. S. Williams, of Shreveport, Louisiana.

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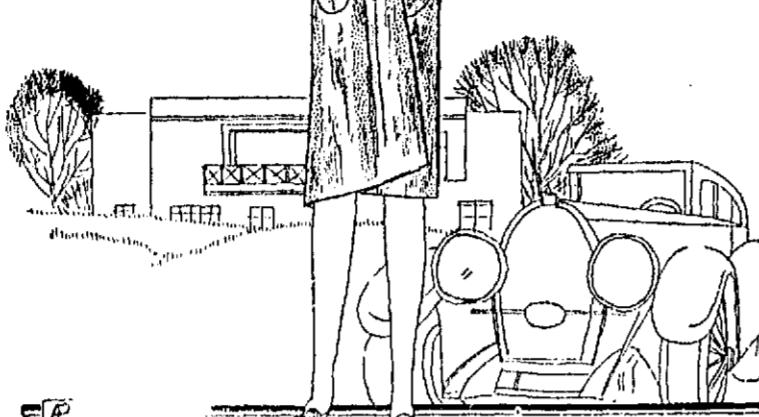
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"MUSICAL MELANGE"

BROWN AND WHITAKER  
"IN THE PARK"

FLO LEWIS  
"GIVE US A LIFT"

## MODES of the MOMENT!



### SOUTHEAST SHOVER .

The fifth Sunday meeting at Shover Springs was well attended and very much enjoyed—dinner on the ground is always a pleasant affair.

Lester Cox of near Patmos is putting up the hay crop on the A. A. Rogers place now occupied by Milton Caudle.

Iver Ward is attending the summer term of school at Center Point. Harold Sanford harvested a nice lot of Irish potatoes this week.

Friends from Bowdaw were week end guests in the Milton Caudle home.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hodnett spent Sunday at Joe Dorey's.

Mrs. Hodnett, Mrs. J. W. McWilliams and Mrs. Jett Rogers called to see Grandmother Ward Monday.

Fred Camp of Hinton came Monday to assist Hamp Huett for a few days in his crop.

Teddy Camp and wife of Hinton were Saturday night visitors at Hamp Huett's.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamp Huett accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Camp attended a grave yard working at Cale one day last week.

Howard Sanford enjoyed a nice visit from his uncle Bryan Camp and Frances and Raymond Huett last Friday.

James Carey of St. Louis spent from Saturday evening until Tuesday morning at H. B. Sanford's.

Raymond Jones accompanied Mr. Pete on Rural route 2 Monday. He will be a substitute for Mr. Pete who will spend his vacation in Colorado.

### GARY COOPER and LUPE VELEZ in a scene from the Paramount Picture, "Wolf Song"

Saenger today and Tuesday.

### Today's Crossword Puzzle

Solution to Saturday's Puzzle

1.	Absent	5.	Precious stones	6.	Serpents	10.	Square of the earth	11.	Hair's station	12.	Twofold	13.	Put into new pots	21.	Silkworm	22.	Pranum	23.	Examination	24.	Sense of smell	25.	Pastry	26.	Spiral	33.	Glow in the dark	34.	College degree	37.	Annoy	38.	Weary	39.	Wary	41.	The Orient	42.	French capital	43.	College officer	44.	Science of	45.	Mind of oak	46.	Dutch South African settler	47.	Part of a church	48.	Short, hurried view	49.	Yester	50.	Yester	51.	Yester	52.	Yester	53.	Yester	54.	Yester	55.	Present points	56.	Note of the difference	57.	Seal of the state	58.	Holian river	59.	Armen	60.	At no time	61.	Smell and taste	62.	Desire	63.	Public notice	64.	Soft leather	65.	Pec	66.	Teritate	67.	Shaped	68.	Form	69.	15.	18.	19.	20.	21.	23.	24.	25.	26.	27.	28.	29.	30.	31.	32.	33.	34.	35.	36.	37.	38.	39.	40.	41.	42.	43.	44.	45.	46.	47.	48.	49.	50.	51.	52.	53.	54.	55.	56.	57.	58.	59.	60.
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## "Prevalence of Cancer"

Prevalence of Cancer among our people. Let us preface this subject fifth the time worn squid that figures will not lie but lies will figure." Before any information in the nature of statistics can be relied upon certain studies or surveys must be made by reliable honest parties. In this work of Cancer Control these statistics are drawn from reports submitted by cities large and small, from states and from the federal government. The registration area of the United States furnished the field from which the quoted figures are drawn. In comparing the causes of death in this vast area we find that Cancer accounts for every fourth one.

In going back to the year 1924 we find Cancer assigned as the cause of death in 91,138 cases. This may seem incredible but it is surely no exaggeration and was computed and summarized in an impartial manner. The comparison of statistics for other years would seem to warrant the conclusion that Cancer is in reality on the increase instead of decreasing.

New York City which presents a population of approximately six million people showed that there were 6,557 deaths from Cancer alone in 1924 while two years later (1926) the same type of statistics showed 7,033 deaths from the same disease. This shows an increase of 476 deaths during the two years within a city the size of New York. This may not appear like a very decided increase but if we are to carry the same ratio to the entire population of our United States at a hundred millions of people it would mean that over 7,000 more deaths had occurred in 1926 than in 1924.

These figures represent Cancer from every part of the body, but not all parts are affected in the same proportion. We all know that Cancer seems for more frequent in some areas than others. From the study of the body structures it is at once evident that Cancer is very apt to occur where there is a quick change or fusion of one type of tissue into another. As for example the skin to the mucous membrane like the lips or

There is yet no accurate available statistics of the persons suffering with Cancer. From the best sources at our disposal it seems that there are between 3 and 4 patients suffering from Cancer for each death recorded. This means that there are at least 300,000 persons in the United States who are ill with Cancer. Applying the same calculation to our own state means that there are about 3,000 deaths from Cancer and between 8,000 and 11,000 Cancer patients. Cancer is far more frequently found in people before the age of 35. It

# Marriage Or Career?

# Love Or Ambition?

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Molly Burnham stood on the threshold of life. She had just received her college diploma and was planning to marry.... But the young man she loved was not yet ready—wasn't making enough money to support a wife—So Molly decided to wait, and in the meantime she got a job as a reporter.

That was the start of her sensational career. As a writer she succeeded beyond her wildest dreams. When Jack Wells was ready to marry her he found that Molly was in love with her work and on the road to triumph as a playwright.

So Molly went ahead with her career. Later she was to find that life without love was not what she had bargained for.

The thrilling story of Molly Burnham and her adventurous career is told in Eleanor Early's sensational new serial,



*Molly Burnham*

## The SHINING TALENT

By ELEANOR EARLY



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Beginning In THE HOPE STAR Thursday, July 11

Here Are Some of the Leading Characters in This Stirring Romance



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*Jack*



*Rita*



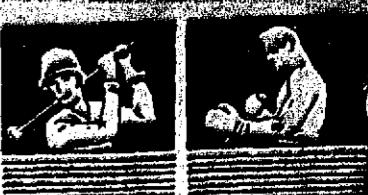
*Bob*



*George Durbin*



# A PAGE of SPORT NEWS



## DID YOU KNOW THAT—

The Athletics had a day off in New York . . . And they went to see the Giants and the Phillies play . . . And Andy Pesta, the A's bat boy, shagged bats for the Jints . . . The Washingtons and the Cleveland had an off day in Cleveland recently . . . And Mr. Alvin Bradley, the millionaire owner of the Clevelands, took the players out to his swell golf club to play golf . . . And Mr. Will Evans shot 178 . . . Lefty Weisman, the trainer of the club, slugged 77 . . . But Mr. Peckinpah, the manager of the club, knocked off a nice 80 . . . And Bucky Harris did a 95. They're saying now that Gensel, of Villanova, is the best college pitcher of the year . . . And the Jints have him.

The conversation about the activities of the jockeys recalls an incident that occurred years ago and involved the Babe, who incidentally is about the best natured man in baseball.

It was about the time that the "Tarzan of the Apes" stories and movies were in vogue and the ball players on the other clubs started calling the Babe "Tarzan."

Strange, to their way of thinking he seemed to like it. At least he gave no demonstration of resistance. And finally the players on his own club started calling him "Tarzan."

Dugan Wishes Him Up

One day Joe Dugan said to him: "Why do you stand for that Tarzan stuff? I'd swing some punches if they jockeyed me that way."

"What's the matter with that?" the Babe wanted to know.

"Don't you know who Tarzan is?" Dugan asked.

"No. Who's Tarzan?" the Babe came back;

"Tarzan is a big ape in a book, you say," Dugan told him.

"Well," the Babe roared, "let them so-and-so's call me a baboon again and I'll let 'em have it. There ain't no man in this league that can call me a monkey."

And it is of record that George Herman hasn't been called Tarzan since the day that Dugan wised him up.

## Here's a Real Card

In these days of circus stuff in baseball it seems strange that some major league club hasn't grabbed Pea Ridge Day, a pitcher with the Kansas City American Association club. That name is almost enough and it's his real name. He was named after the town in which he was born.

Pea Ridge has more color than Hunny name. He is a hog caller. He made so much noise yelling, even when he was pitching, that the umpires nad the players pro-

Department Store.

—A.V.

## Their Dad Is Greatest Golfer



Huchra

Here are the two happy children of the world's greatest golfer—Bobby Jones, of Atlanta, Ga., who staged one of the greatest exhibitions in the history of the game and won the National Open championship recently and is to participate in the National Amateur Tournament at Del Monte, Calif., in September. They are Bobby, Jr., and Clara Malone Jones.

If you have any of the following symptoms, I have the remedy no matter what your trouble has been diagnosed: Nervousness, stomach trouble, loss of weight, loss of sleep, sore mouth, pains in the back and shoulders, peculiar swimming in the head, frothy like phlegm in throat, passing mucus from the bowels, especially after taking purgative, burning feet, brown, rough or yellow skin, burning or itching skin, rash on the hands, face and arms resembling sunburn, habitual constipation, (sometimes alternating with diarrhoea) copper or metallic taste, skin sensitive to sunlight, forgetfulness, despondency and thoughts that you might lose your mind, gums a fiery red and falling away from the teeth, general weakness with loss of energy.

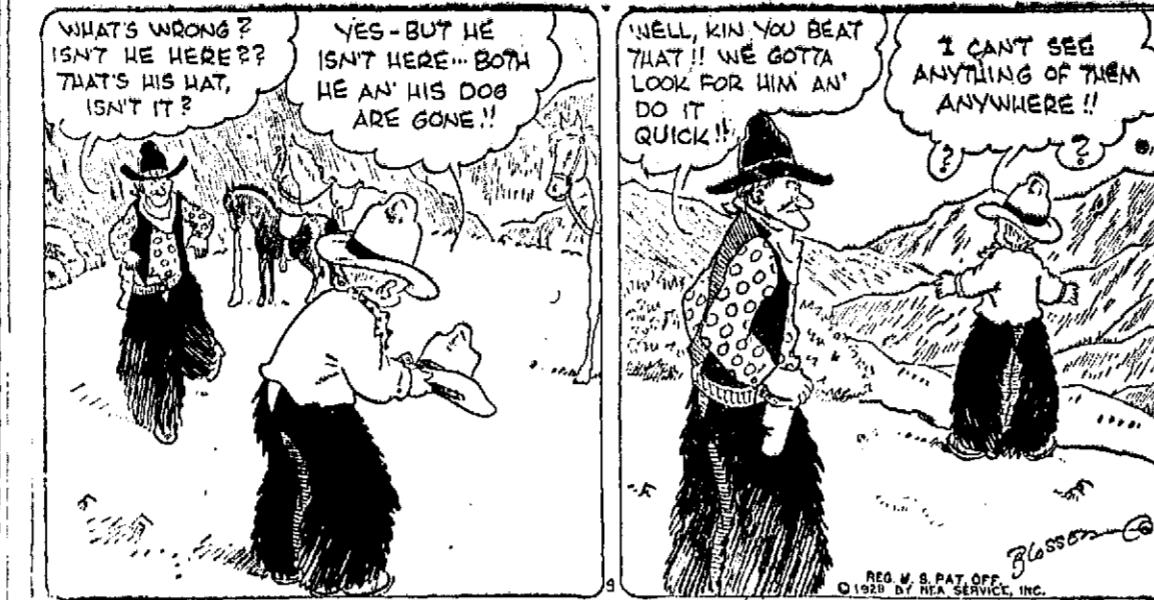
If you have these symptoms and have taken all kinds of medicine and still feel sick, I especially want you to write for my booklet.

Mrs. A. L. Newman, whose picture appears here, writes: "Four months ago today I began taking your medicine. I was just a nervous wreck, not able to do hardly anything. I did not weigh but 98 pounds. Now I weigh 109 pounds and am able to do most of my work. I have already cleaned house, and before I always had to hire someone to do this. If I ever think I need any more medicine, I will send to you for it." —Paragould, Ark.

FOR FREE DIAGNOSIS AND LITERATURE WRITE: W. C. Rountree, M. D., Austin, Texas.



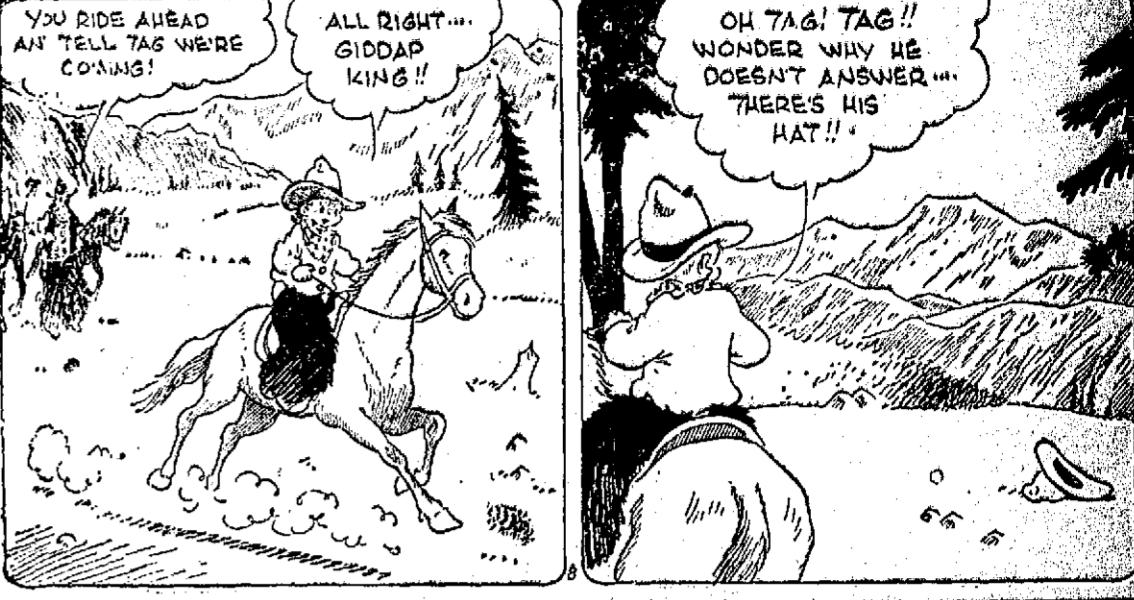
## FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



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*Blossom*

Missing!



*Blossom*

ALL RIGHT... GIDDAP KING!!

OH TAG! TAG!! WONDER WHY HE DOESN'T ANSWER... THERE'S HIS HAT!!

By Blossom

## Lavell and Matlock Matched for Main Card Thursday Night

Bout At Rink Night of July 11 To Feature Heavies—  
Lavell Here and Says If Matlock Stops Him Wants No Money for His Efforts.

## McNAB

Mrs. Tennie Chambliss from Broken Bow, Okla., is visiting her brother, Ed. Stone and family here. Miss Louis McDowell of Texarkana is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. K. Spates.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Nelson and son, Max Rudolph, are spending the fourth at Haworth, Oklahoma with relatives.

Fred Bridgeman of Nashville, is visiting his cousin, Claud Spates.

Mrs. K. Spates, and son James, Mrs. W. J. McDowell and Miss Lois McDowell saw the show at the Saenger in Hope Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Stone of Nashville visited his brother, Ed and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick McLunkins, Mrs. G. E. Stanton, Valerie Stanton and Carrie Spates of Saratoga spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. K. Spates.

Mrs. S. A. Hudson, had as guests

her nieces, of Broken Bow, Okla., for the week end and she accompanied them home and will also visit different points in Oklahoma.

Mrs. Chas. McNab, of Texarkana is spending the week with Mrs. Wilmer Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Moses and son, Hugh visited and shopped in Texarkana Tuesday.

Mrs. H. R. Raley is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. John Raley returned home from Saratoga Sunday where she has been visiting.

C. W. Moss is spending the 4th.

in Louisiana.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Notice is hereby given that the School Board of Spring Hill Special School District plan to build a school building at Spring Hill, and desire bids of contract-

ors for said building.

Plans and specifications may be had at the office of county super-

Signed: Board of Directors of Spring Hill Special School Dis-trict

O. O. Brink, President

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She's "Miss West Palm Beach" now but the judges in a beauty pageant soon to be held in her city may decide she is the most beautiful of Florida girls and name her "Florida's Queen of Flowers." She is Margaret Campbell, a bacteriology student at Florida State College for Women, and is holding the cup that is to be given the winner. She's a blonde and just 18.

# RIVAL WIVES

By Anna Austin  
Author of  
*The Black Pigeon*

1929 NEA  
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**THIS HAS HAPPENED**  
Iris Morgan, wife of John Curtis Morgan, successful lawyer, deserts him for Bert Crawford, a family friend, whom Morgan never suspects. Nan Carroll, Morgan's secretary, is deeply in love with Morgan and saves him from utter despair by cleverly forcing him into his work. For 6 months she acts as long distance housekeeper for him, winning the love of his child, little six-year-old Curtis Morgan.

Morgan breaks the news to her that he is divorcing Iris and addressing his and Curtis' need for her, asks her to marry him. She consents. Their farcical marriage has continued three months when Iris, jilted by Crawford, returns.

Feingling illness, she tries to bring the bewildered Morgan to his knees. Nan, crushed, determines to fight and asks the doctor.

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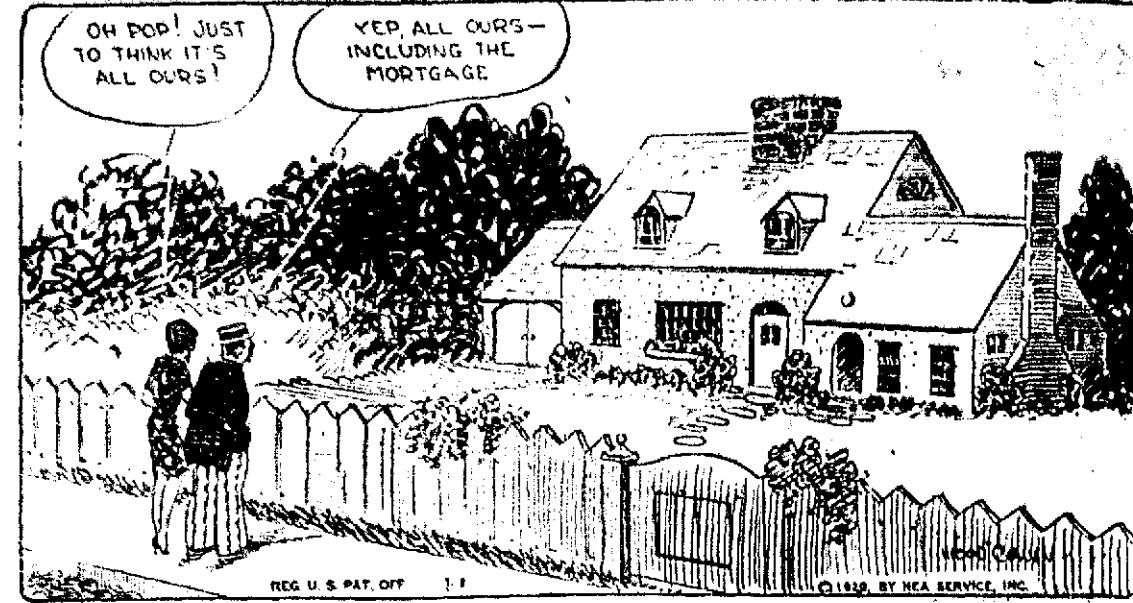
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MORELAND'S

## MOM'N POP



## Home, Sweet Home



## PERSONAL MENTION

Floyd Cupp and wife were guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cupp, in this city.

Raymond Robbins, of Ozan, has lined up with Moreland's Drug here and is being warmly greeted by his many friends among the younger set.

Miss Joyce Beard, attractive fountain girl at Bryant's drug is taking a vacation this week, getting caught up with her resting.

George Hosmer and "Rack" Fason, two of the lizards in this office who make life one long and horrible nightmare for the city editor, were shedding sunshine up to Gordon Sunday p. m. We don't know what they went up for, but as they returned safe and sound everything is o. k. They'll probably go back next Sunday.

But the longest, most intensely exciting work day inevitably came to an end, and the two who have been one in work had to return to their home and become two tragically divided creatures.

Not that Morgan did not try. His efforts to play the role of devoted husband were even more painful to Nan than the spells of black depression to which he invariably succumbed before the terrible evening was over. The breakfast and dinner hours were the hardest of the day, for it was then that the alarming change in Curtis was most obvious.

The child whom Nan in less than a year had transformed into a cheerful, sturdy little boy, reverted with the sadness of black magic to the whining, obtrusive, sticky Curtis he had been under his mother's care.

Nan knew and was fiercely wracked that she could not say so to the father, that Iris was deliberately using the child as one of her most powerful weapons in her fight against her successor.

She knew, and did not see how Morgan could fail to see, that the child was acting under orders from the woman across the street when he petulantly refused to eat the wholesome vegetables set before him, when he said bitter, ugly, unchildish things to the girl who had been more than a mother to him; when he dragged in his real mother's name at least three times during every meal; when he asked preposterous questions as to why his own mother could not come home again to live and be with him nights, as well as afternoons.

"If you don't eat what Nan tells you to, and speak to her with courtesy, you will have to leave the table and go right to bed," was a remark which the harrassed, tragic eyed father was forced to make at least once during every dinner that was served in that miserable home.

"Won't eat spinach! Hate it! Won't drink milk, neither!" Curtis would scream, his pale face going vivid with rage. "Won't be nice to Nan! Hate her! She won't let my mother come home!"

And Nan, white-lipped, nau-

seated, would have to sit wordless before her own scarcely touched plate and witness the dreadful finale: Curtis' banishment to his own room, howling kicking.

"Perhaps, under the circumstances, a private school would be better," Morgan said somberly after his return to the table from one such scene.

"Does his mother wish it?" Nan asked coldly.

"Yes," Morgan answered. The flush on his thin, drawn face deepened. "She—Iris stopped me on the street yesterday. She seems very much concerned about the boy, thinks boarding school might be a more—whole some atmosphere, if—since—"

He floundered to a stop and Nan saw that the hand which held his fork was shaking like a sick old man's.

Nan did not answer aloud, but her lips twisted with that cynical bitter smile which came so frequently now, as she finished his sentence mentally: "If I won't acknowledge myself beaten and make way for her to come back."

ladder had been just a clever bit of acting, and Iris was not really hurt, certainly her—Nan's interference was the last thing Iris desired.

It was half an hour before Morgan returned, and because it was then almost time for court to open he was in too great a hurry to give Nan more than a few words of explanation:

"She's twisted her ankle—rather badly, I'm afraid, but she wouldn't let me call Dr. Black. I bathed it in hot water, and then bandaged it tightly with liniment. You might send Estelle over with a luncheon tray, dear. Curtis will be there to do little things for her this afternoon. Now I've got to make a dash for the courthouse."

When he had gone, Nan wondered if he had emphasized his need for hurry to excuse his not kissing her goodby.

Quietly, she gave the necessary instructions to Estelle, cut short the maid's sullen protest at being called upon to "wait on that woman," and left for the office in her own car. At one o'clock, just as Nan was leaving for a lonely lunch, since Morgan was staying at the courthouse, Estelle telephoned.

"That woman ain't no more crippled than I am, Mr. Morgan!" Estelle reported indignantly. "She was dancing to the phonograph, all by herself, and because the music was loud she didn't hear me knock, nd I—"

"All right, Estelle!" Nan interrupted crisply. "Anything else? Goodby, then."

At dinner that evening Curtis remarked, in the sullen, belligerent voice he had adopted since his mother's return: "Mother's ankle is awful bad. She said she wished you'd come over and stay with her this evening, father. She said she knew you wouldn't but she wished you would."

"I'm sorry, son but I'm afraid

"She ought to be ridden out of town on a rail—coming back here and gumming up the works just when Nan had—"

The sound of her own name in Evan's answering growl, roused the eavesdropper from the lethargy of despair which Blake's news had brought upon her. She turned back into her own office, and for an hour David Blackhull on trial for his life and in need of every atom of help she could give him, was completely deprived of her services.

The tedium of court-room procedure must have bored Iris, however, for on Monday she resorted to more direct and dramatic methods. Nan, accompanying her husband to the front steps to tell him goodby until noon, glanced across the street and saw the slim body of her rival staggering out of the door, bent under the weight of the heavy stepladder she was carrying.

She knew that Morgan saw, too, for he took a quick involuntary step as if impelled to go to his former wife's aid. Deliberately, Nan kept on with what she had been saying, so that the man's perforce must wait to hear her out. Just as she was concluding her remarks—something about the Blackhull case—Iris stationed the ladder directly beneath the globe of the porch light, and started to climb, an electric bulb in one outstretched hand. On the third step she apparently lost her balance, and, with a shrill scream, toppled to the floor.

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Almost before the bulb shattered, Morgan was on his w. y. Nan watched, with curious detachment, as she saw her husband kneel and gather his divorced wife into his arms; watched as he kicked the front door wide and disappeared into the house with his burden. Then, very deliberately, she turned and re-entered her own house. Not even to allay gossip in the neighborhood could she force herself to cross the street and enter that other house. If Iris was badly hurt and needed more help than her husband could give her, let him telephone for a doctor or a nurse. If the tumble from the

I can't." Morgan answered gently. "You see, I've got a terribly important case on in court, and I've got to work all evening."

"Looks like mother would be more important than any old case!" Curtis protested with sudden vehemence. "She said you wouldn't wouldn't come, cause Nan wouldn't let you—not even if she was dying, she said—"

"Curtis!" "Can't I even say what mother told me to say?" Curtis burst into tears.

"Tears gushing out of her eyes. 'You're just ill, darling—'

"No, I'm mean!" Curtis insisted. "Do you hate me, Nan? Do you?"

"No, I love you!" Nan cried fiercely. "But, darling, don't fret now."

"It's awful to have two mothers," Curtis sobbed on. "And I thought it would be swell, before—before mother came back."

"Two oughts be twice as good as one, and I guess it would be that way if they didn't hate each other—I don't want to be mean to you, Nan, but—"

"I know. I understand just how hard it is for you, darling. Now kiss Nan and go to sleep."

As she groped her way down the stairs, Nan told herself fiercely, "This can't go on! It can't! But how can it end, unless I—?"

At midnight the next night her despairing question was answered, in a way, for borne in on the wings of tragedy, Iris Morgan returned to the home she had deserted a year before.

(To Be Continued)

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Tonight at the big tent theater the Sedgwick Players will present a three act comedy drama, "The Girl from Child's". It is a laugh from start to finish with the best of vaudeville between acts. This will mark the opening of a week's engagement for this popular company, who come to us highly recommended as being one of the best on the road. Their plays are all high voltage numbers.

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